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It is a time of drastic action for the Rebellion. Luke Skywalker, Han Solo, and Princess Leia have captured Darth Vader's secret ally, droid expert Dr. Aphra, in an effort to obtain Imperial information.

While the princess is securing Dr. Aphra at Sunspot Prison, a mysterious invader has seized control of the facility and begins eliminating prisoners. Cornered, Leia and Sana join forces with the doctor to release the inmates and spare them from an untimely death.

Meanwhile, Han and Luke have responded to Sana's distress call, arriving in time for the unknown attacker to reveal himself....

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SUNSPOT PRISON.

"MOVE! WE HAVE TO GET TO THE DOCKING BAY BEFORE HE--"

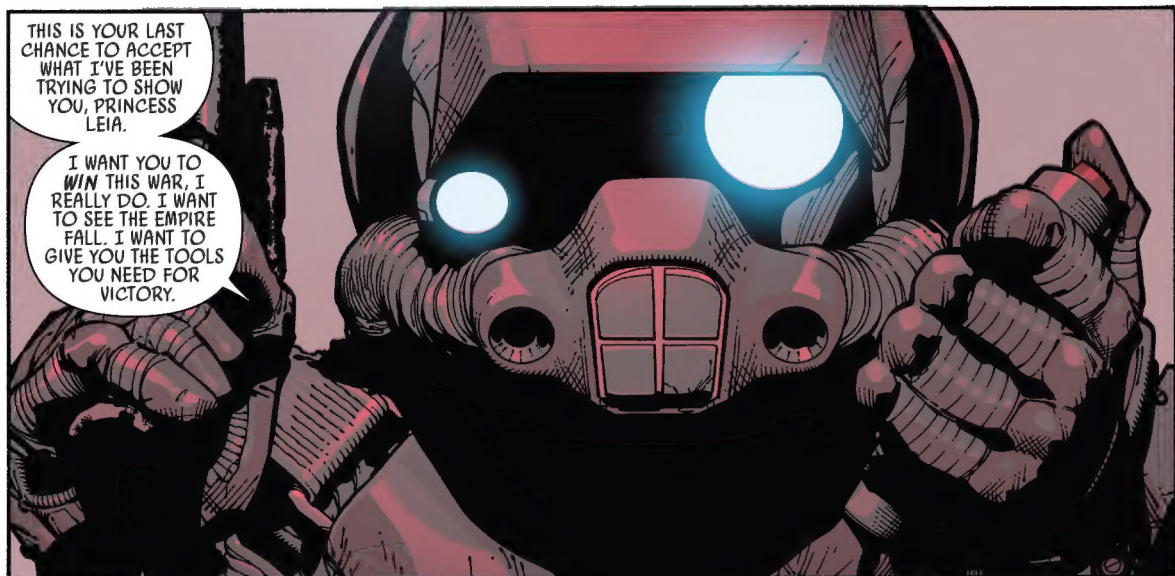
BEFORE HE *WHAT?* MAKES US ALL LOOK LIKE *FOOLS?* GUESS WE'RE TOO LATE FOR THAT.

THIS IS...WOW. HOW YOU PEOPLE AREN'T ALL *DEAD* ALREADY IS SERIOUSLY THE GREATEST MYSTERY IN THE GALAXY.

LET THEM GO. *NOW.*

I'M SORRY, PRINCESS.

...BUT THAT ISN'T HOW THIS ENDS.





THAT'S NOT
GOING TO HAPPEN,
WHOEVER YOU--

YES,
IT IS.



C'MON,
SANA.

SORRY,
APHRA. NOTHING
PERSONAL.

MURDER IS
ALWAYS PERSONAL,
SANA! ESPECIALLY
WHEN IT'S MINE!

NO!



THIS IS NOT
HAPPENING!
THIS IS NOT
WHO WE
ARE!

SPEAK FOR
YOURSELF,
PRINCESS.

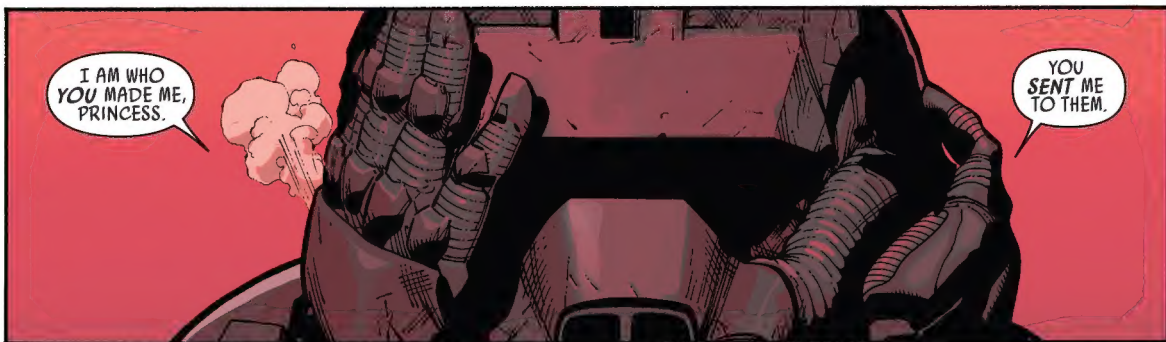
NO,
REALLY,
THIS IS
WHO SHE
IS.



IF THIS ISN'T WHO
YOU ARE, PRINCESS LEIA,
THEN WE'RE DOOMED.
THE ENTIRE REBELLION.

SANA, PUT
DOWN THAT
BLASTER!

AND YOU,
WHOEVER YOU
ARE, STOP
TRYING TO--



I AM WHO
YOU MADE ME,
PRINCESS.

YOU
SENT ME
TO THEM.



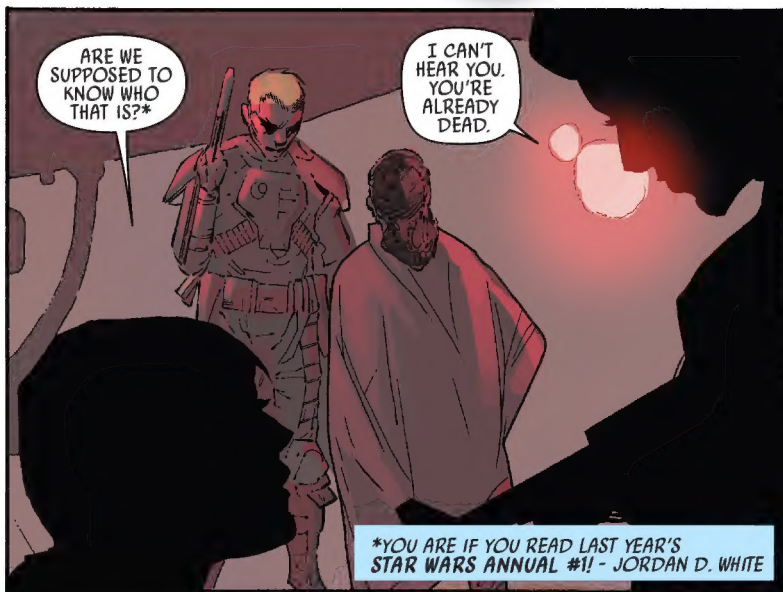
YOU CAN'T
BE SURPRISED
THAT I CAME BACK
CHANGED.



NO. IT
CAN'T...

ENEB?

ENEB
RAY...?



ARE WE
SUPPOSED TO
KNOW WHO
THAT IS?*

I CAN'T
HEAR YOU.
YOU'RE
ALREADY
DEAD.

*YOU ARE IF YOU READ LAST YEAR'S
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ENEB,
WHAT...

SO YOU DO
REMEMBER
ME?

YOU WERE
ONE OF US. THE
BEST SPY WE
EVER PUT IN
THE FIELD.

AFTER CORUSCANT,
WE LOOKED ALL OVER
FOR YOU. WE THOUGHT
YOU MUST HAVE DIED
WITH THE OTHERS.

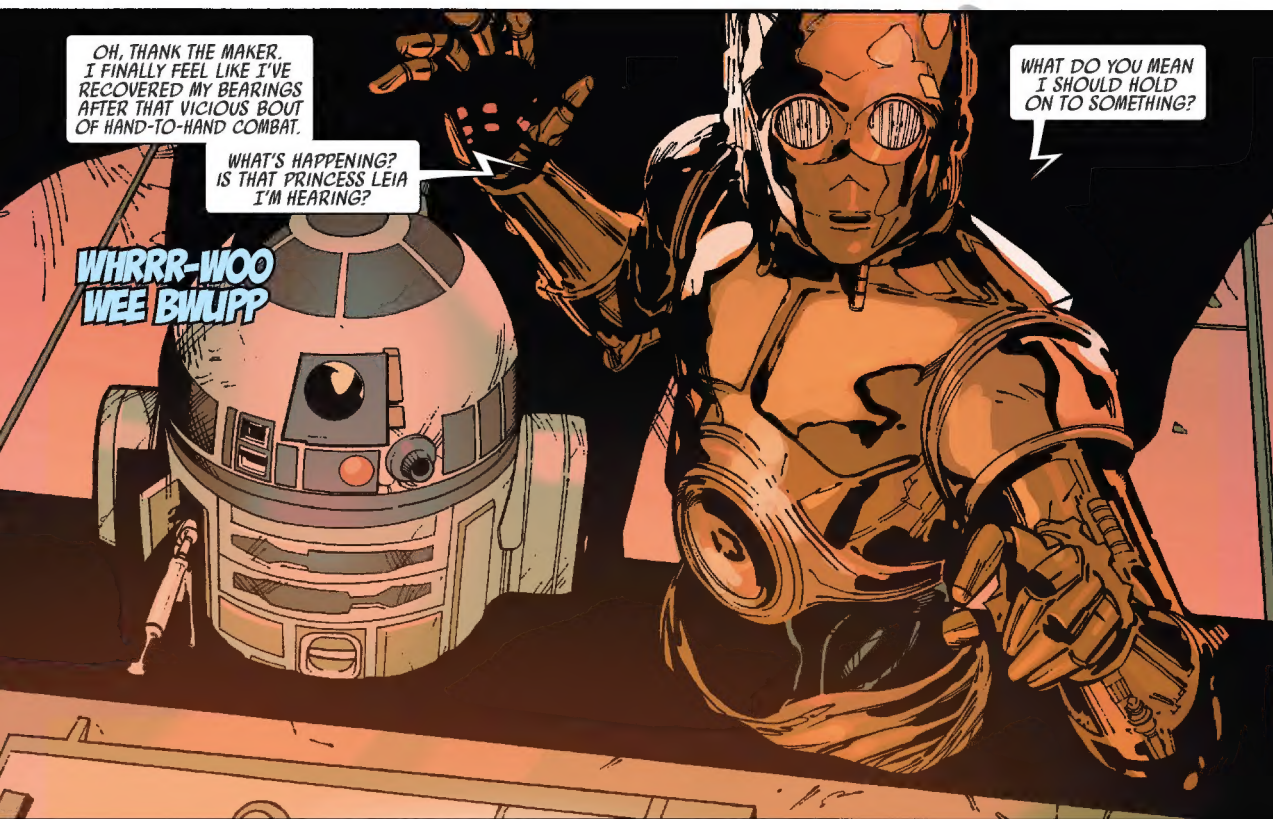


OH, HIS TOUCH
WILL DEFINITELY
KILL ME. IT'S JUST
GOING TO TAKE
ITS TIME.

WHOSE
TOUCH?

ENEB, WHAT'S
HAPPENED TO YOU?
YOU NEED TO COME
HOME AND LET US HELP--





OH, THANK THE MAKER.
I FINALLY FEEL LIKE I'VE
RECOVERED MY BEARINGS
AFTER THAT VICIOUS BOUT
OF HAND-TO-HAND COMBAT.

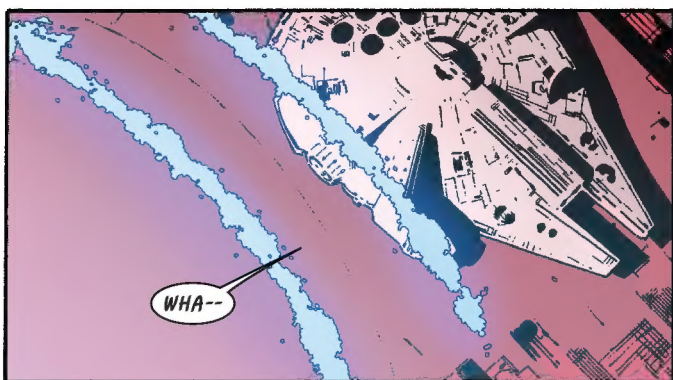
WHAT'S HAPPENING?
IS THAT PRINCESS LEIA
I'M HEARING?

WHRRR-WOO
WEE BWUUP

WHAT DO YOU MEAN
I SHOULD HOLD
ON TO SOMETHING?



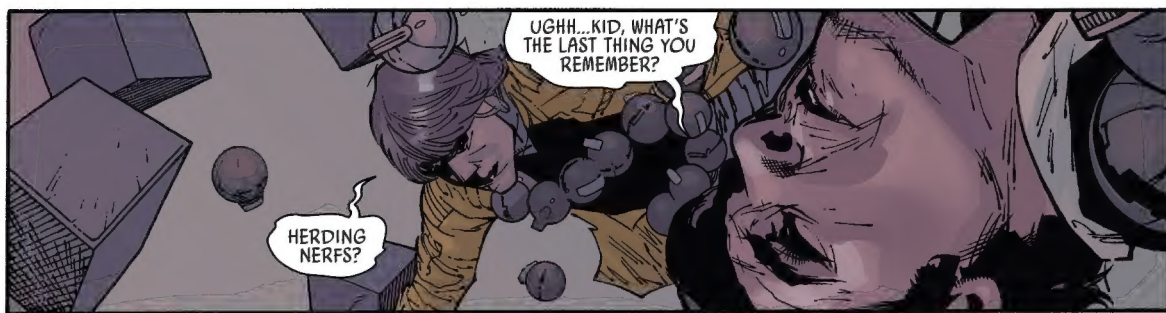
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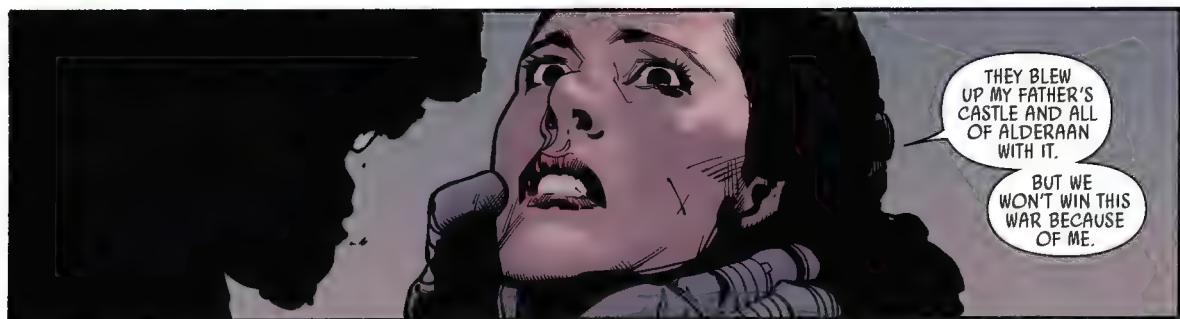
WHA--



ION PULSE.
YOUR TRIGGER'S
DOWN, ENEB, AND
SO ARE YOU.





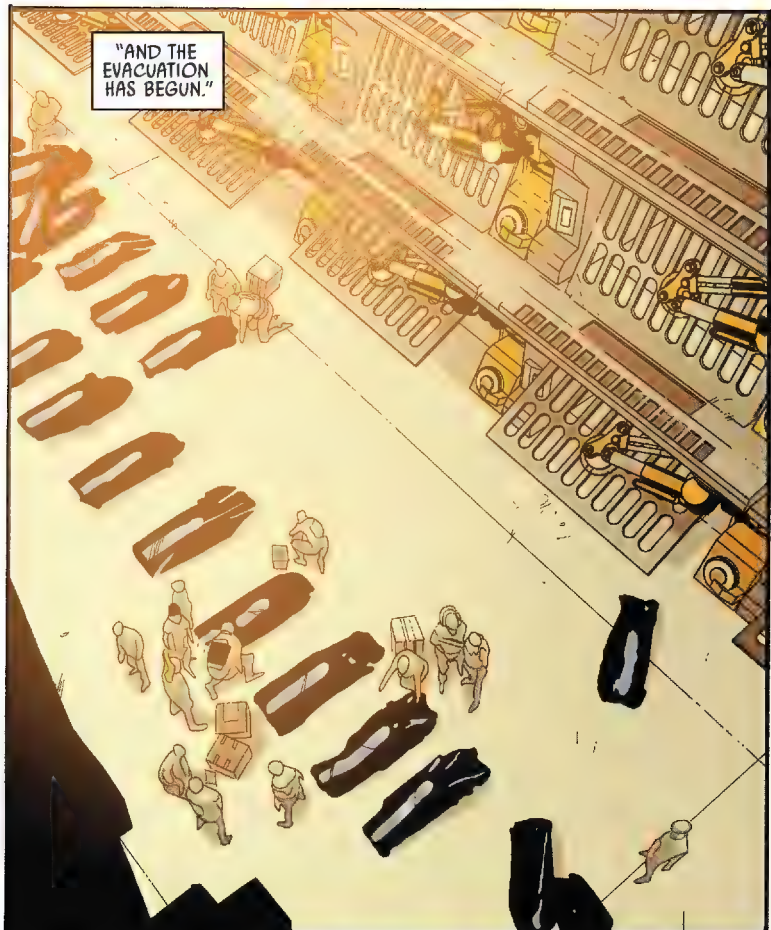




"PRISON SYSTEMS
HAVE BEEN RESTORED."



"AND THE
EVACUATION
HAS BEGUN."



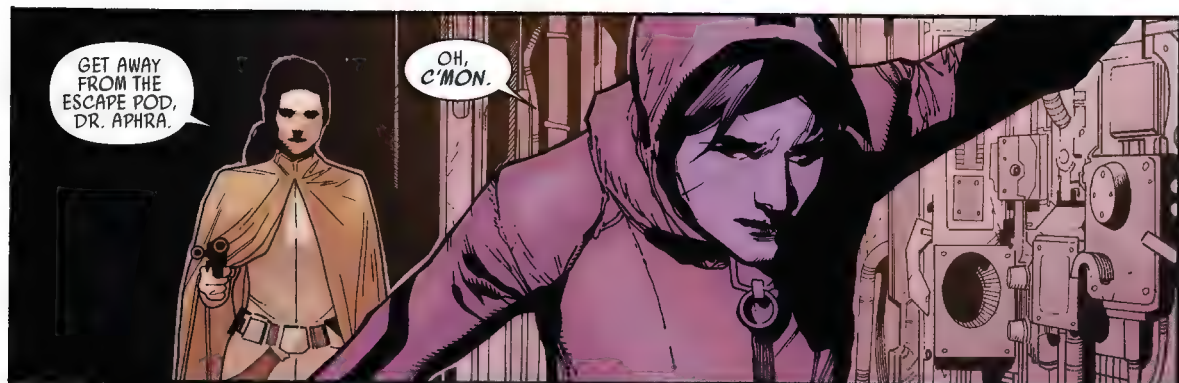
THANKS TO YOU, PRINCESS...
THERE ARE STILL *SOME* OF
US LEFT TO EVACUATE.

YES, PRINCESS.
WE'RE DOING OUR
BEST TO ACCOUNT
FOR ALL OF THE
REMAINING INMATES.
BUT, AH...

BUT NOT ENOUGH.
TOO MANY PEOPLE DIED
HERE TODAY, WARDEN.
GUARDS AND PRISONERS
BOTH.

I'M AFRAID
THERE IS *ONE*
THAT SEEMS TO
HAVE BEEN
MISPLACED.





GET AWAY
FROM THE
ESCAPE POD,
DR. APHRA.

OH,
C'MON.



I SAVED YOUR LIFE LIKE **FIVE TIMES**
TODAY! WAY MORE IF YOU COUNT ALL
THE TIMES I DIDN'T KILL YOU WHEN
I REALLY WANTED TO.

THAT DOESN'T
CHANGE THE FACT THAT
YOU'RE A **PRISONER**
HERE. I CAN'T JUST LET
YOU WALK AWAY.

UM, YES,
YOU DEFINITELY
COULD.



WHAT IF I PROMISE TO BE
GOOD? OR...YOU KNOW...
AT LEAST BETTER THAN
USUAL?

THIS IS NO GAME,
DOCTOR. I HOPE YOU
REALIZE JUST HOW
DANGEROUS DARTH
VADER REALLY IS.

NO MATTER HOW
USEFUL YOU ARE TO HIM
NOW, SOONER OR LATER HE WILL
GET AROUND TO KILLING YOU.

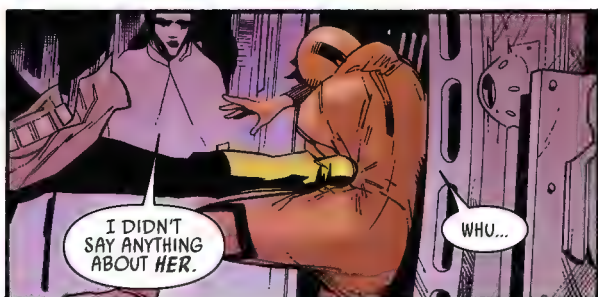


AND WHEN THAT DAY COMES,
IF YOU SHOULD HAPPEN TO
SOMEHOW SURVIVE...

...I SUGGEST
YOU LOOK ME
UP.

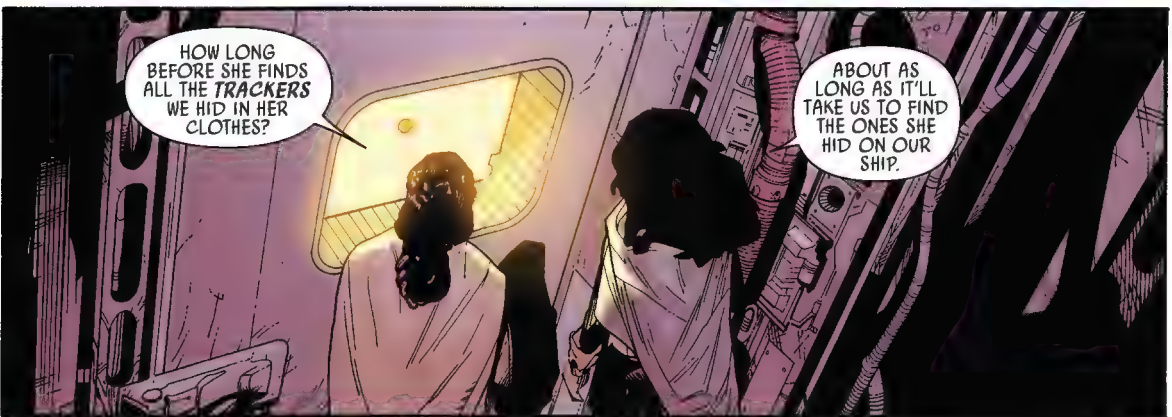
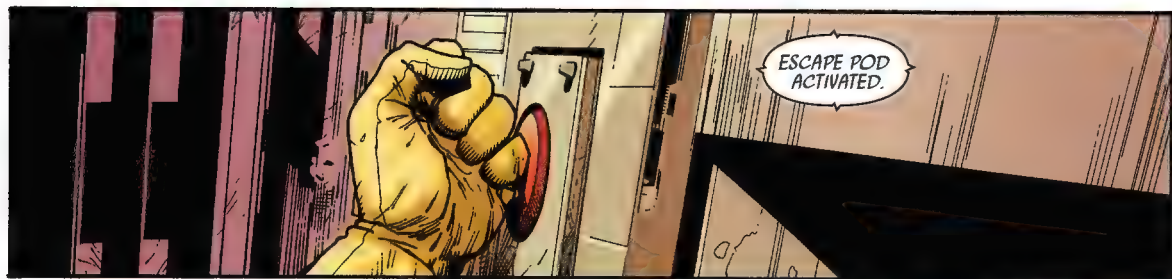
WAIT, BUT...
WHAT ARE YOU
SAYING?

I SAID I
COULDN'T LET
YOU WALK
AWAY.



I DIDN'T
SAY ANYTHING
ABOUT **HER**.

WHU...





SO...YOU
AND HER,
YOU USED
TO BE--

DON'T
DON'T ASK.

I'M NOT
ASKING, I'M
JUST--

DON'T
JUST. DON'T
ANYTHING.

OKAY.

SO I SUPPOSE
ALL OF THIS IS REALLY
GONNA COST ME
EXTRA, HUH?

YOU KNOW
WHAT?

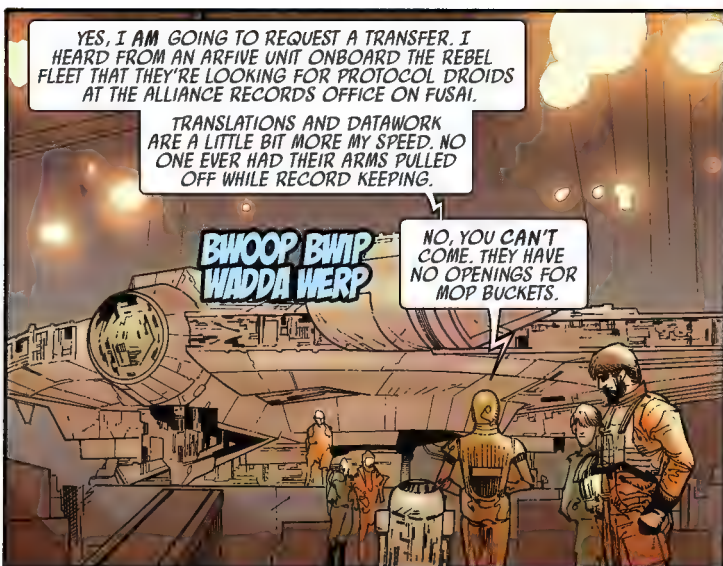
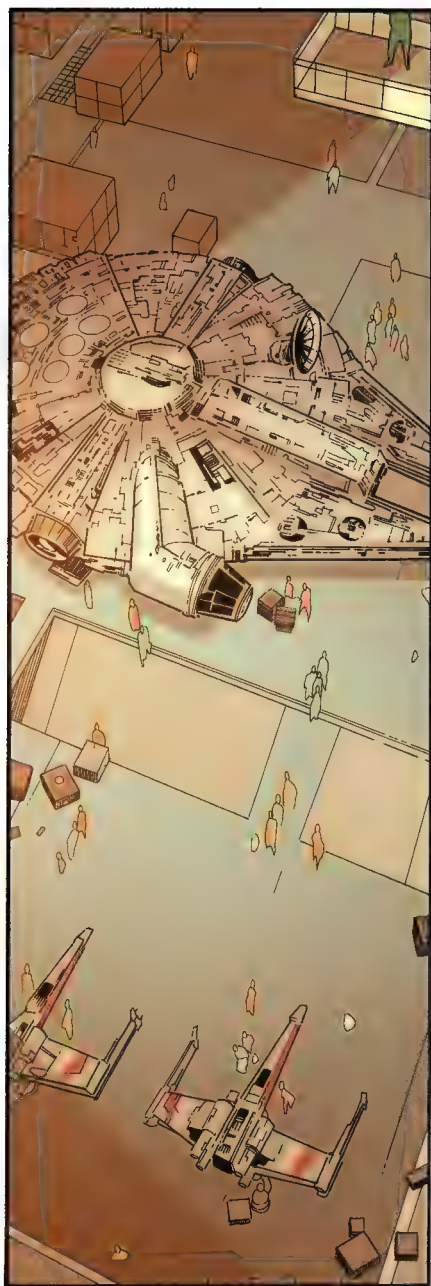
LET'S
CALL IT
EVEN.

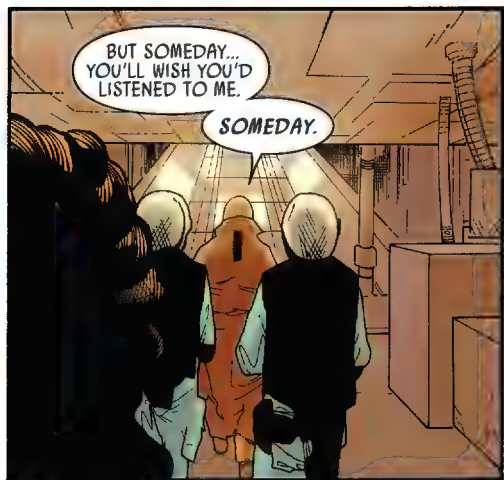
EVEN IS
GOOD. I LIKE
EVEN. BUT HOW
ABOUT--

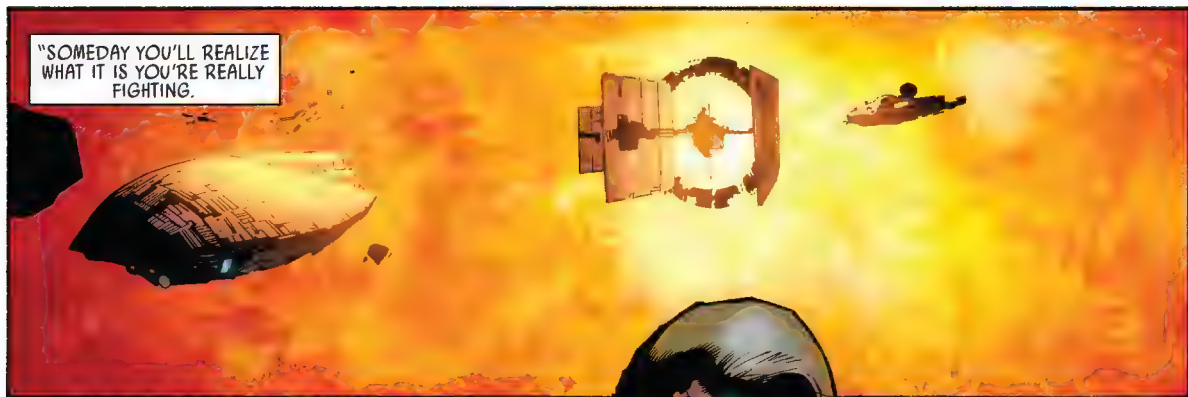
DON'T PRESS
YOUR LUCK,
PRINCESS.

YES,
MA'AM.









"SOMEDAY YOU'LL REALIZE
WHAT IT IS YOU'RE REALLY
FIGHTING.

"AND HOW YOU HAVE
NO HOPE OF ACTUALLY
WINNING.



"YOU'LL REALIZE...
ONLY BECAUSE THEY'VE
COME FOR YOU.



"WITH A FORCE
AND A FURY YOU
CAN'T BEGIN TO
IMAGINE.



"REMEMBER
ME ON THAT DAY,
PRINCESS.



"REMEMBER ME IN
YOUR SCREAMS."

DAYS LATER...



THIS WAS IT, ALL RIGHT. THIS WAS THE PRISON WHERE THEY WERE KEEPING KOLAR LUDD. I'D BET MY FAVORITE BLASTER ON IT.

BUT THEY'VE STRIPPED THE PLACE CLEAN. LEFT IT TO FALL INTO THE STAR.



WE'RE BACK TO SQUARE ONE.

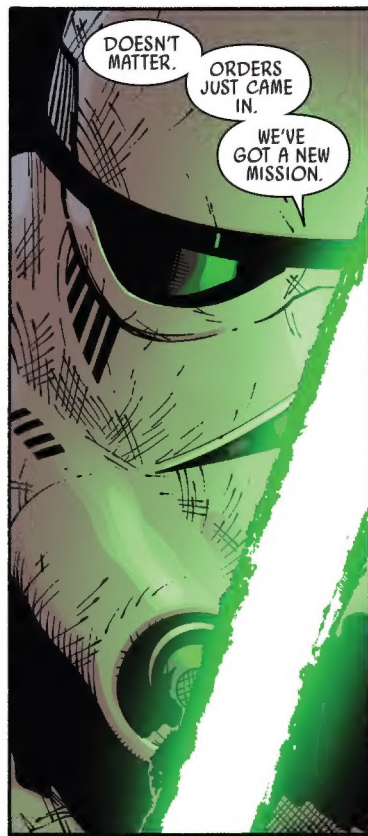
SARGE? YOU HEAR ME?



DOESN'T MATTER.

ORDERS JUST CAME IN.

WE'VE GOT A NEW MISSION.



WHO'S READY
TO KILL SOME
REBELS?



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